

BEFORE
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF
SOUTH CAROLINA
DOCKET NO. 2005-25-T - ORDER NO. 2005-184
APRIL 14, 2005

IN RE:	Application of Terry L. Strickland DBA)	ORDER SEEKING
	Strong Man Movers, 3219 Hwy. 9 East, Little)	EXPLANATION OF
	River, SC 29566, to Amend Class E)	“IMPACT STUDY”
	Certificate of Public Convenience and)	
	Necessity and for a Rate Increase.)	

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) on the application by Terry L. Strickland DBA Strong Man Movers for an amendment to Class E Certificate and for a rate increase. The Office of Regulatory Staff (ORS) has filed a request to postpone the processing of the application until an impact study can be performed.

At this time, we will carry this matter over. The Commission is not familiar with what an “impact study” in a transportation rate matter entails. We would like ORS to explain what this involves. Formerly, in examining a proposed transportation rate increase, the Commission examined the operating ratios both before and after the proposed rate increase. We also compared the proposed increased rate with the rate approved for the South Carolina Tariff Bureau for the same services. We do not know if these are parts of the impact study that ORS wants to perform or not.

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